

LOCAL.

LOVELY winter weather.
Business is picking up with good sleighing.

Several interesting communications are crowded out of this issue.

Voting on mill exemption by-law on Saturday. Don't fail to turn out.

Constable Donnelly, of the N. W. M. P., died at Dawson on Oct. 29th.

The H. B. Co. mail packet left for Chippewa to-day going by way of Lac la Poudre.

Telephone wire down on main line of C. P. R. east of Qu'Appelle. Therefore no telegrams.

Brick for the new Roman Catholic church in Edmonton is being hauled. It is supplied by Little & Co.

Discussions have broken out amongst horses on Stony Plain west, and some deaths have occurred.

The prizes for the fancy dress carnival at the hockey rink on Tuesday next, the 17th, are in line in Morris & Co's window.

The Regina club, of Lawson City, numbers H. C. Lale, formerly of Edmonton, and W. A. Rutan, amongst the members.

R. A. RUTAN, land agent, is back from his Christmas holidays. The Bulletin was mistaken in reporting that he had gone to Winnipeg.

Notice is given that the west half 7-53-25-4, will be granted as a grazing lease for a term of five years at 4c an acre if no protest is lodged with the interior department before Feb. 4th.

John Downe, a tinsmith formerly of Red Deer, committed suicide in Calgary on Jan. 4th by throwing himself in front of the express train. He was an elderly man, well educated, but was out of work.

A MEETING of the Edmonton Operative and Dramatic society was held last evening. The scores of the Pirates of Penzance have arrived and practice will commence at once. The opera will be produced about Easter.

Foley Bros. have secured the contract from the Bellington R. R. for the building of the extension of this railway from the United States to Kaskanook, B. C. This line will cross the Crow's Nest Pass railway at Fisher.

DEAN YOUNG, of Athabasca, arrived from Athabasca Landing this week accompanied by Mrs. Young and daughter. Bishop Young is suffering from continued ill-health, and left for Montreal for rest and treatment on Thursday's train.

At St. Albert on Monday last, before Insp. Seyder, Wm. Fitzpatrick was committed for trial on a charge of horse stealing preferred against him by Aug. J. Brondelle. C. W. Cross prosecuted and C. E. E. Brown appeared for the accused.

WEDMAN BROS. of Deep Creek have purchased a 17 horse portable engine from the Massey Harris Co. to run a saw mill and grain chopper, having exchanged their own saw and crusher purchased in the fall.

MAYOR EDMONTON has been requested by Lieutenant-Governor Forget to open a subscription list in aid of the Gordon Memorial College at Khartoum. A list has been placed at Mackenzie's book store where subscriptions will be received and duly acknowledged.

THE EXCAVATION for Dowling & Co's mill is nearly completed and stones for the foundation is being rapidly got on the ground. The building will be 26x50, with stone basement and three full stories above. It will be of 100 barrels a day capacity, but the power will be sufficient to allow the capacity to be doubled.

C. GALLAGHER returned on Monday's train from a visit to Winnipeg. The weather was very cold while Mr. Gallagher was on the way home. The locomotive froze up west of Brain ton and the train was eleven hours late in reaching Broadway. The weather had been colder in Winnipeg than in Edmonton and there had been good sleighing. Business was good. A large quantity of grain was still in farmers' hands, so that the prospects for business during the rest of the winter were good.

THIS record of the farmer's progress in Canada reads like a romance, and in addition to the prose and poetry of it, the Christmas Farmer's Advocate contains a veritable picture gallery of lifelike views from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast. Besides the cover, the number includes 72 beautifully printed pages, illustrated with half a hundred engravings, many of them full and a half-page size. The price of the number is 50 cents per copy, but is being sent to all new subscribers for 1899 at the rate of 51 per year. "The Wm. Wells Company of Winnipeg, Man., are to be congratulated upon their enterprise, in surprising their readers with such a handsome and helpful Christmas box."

THE annual general meeting of the Presbyterian congregation, Edmonton, was held in the church last evening. W. Short was chairman and J. M. Douglas, secretary. The financial statement was presented showing the finances to be in a very satisfactory condition. W. Easton and J. M. Douglas were the retiring members of the board of management. A. Fraser was elected in place of Wm. Easton and J. M. Douglas was re-elected. The question of a new church was discussed. The feeling of the meeting was to erect a new brick church at a cost of about \$5,000. The question of site was also discussed, with the result that the board of management were instructed to enquire as to sites and to an adjourned general meeting to be held on Thursday, Feb. 2nd. The feeling seemed to be in favor of a site on Jasper avenue some place between First and Third streets.

THE Electric Light Co. have been having lots of trouble lately owing to failure of supply of water with which to keep up steam. This is why the lights have been so intermittent lately. The water supply is drawn from the river through a covered drain or tunnel which passes through the gravel bar in front of the station to the river below low water mark. When first put in this drain was far enough below the surface of the bar to prevent its being affected by frost. But last season a considerable depth of gravel and sand was washed off the bar during high water. This with the lack of snow this winter allowed the frost to penetrate to the drain and freeze it solid. The light company had to thaw out the gravel overlying the drain itself, for about 25 yards back from the river, remove the gravel, and renew the drain for that distance. They had a portable steam engine to assist in thawing the ground, and also built fires of coal slack and saw dust along the line of the drain. It is a strange thing that in mid winter here the frost gets deeper into the ground than in a severe winter, on account of the absence of snow in the milder winter.

R. SECORD returned on Monday from a successful buying trip to Beaver lake and Battle river.

ANNUAL meeting of the Edmonton district butter and cheese manufacturing association in the town hall, Edmonton, on Saturday, Jan. 21st, at 2 p. m.

ZOLTAN VON ROUCE, immigration delegate from Hungary, came in on Monday's train, and is being driven around the district by sub-agent Bennett, of South Edmonton.

The confidence of the farmers in this district, and the increase of settlement is shown by the fact that the Massey-Harris Co. agency here, have already booked 207 orders for shoe drills for delivery next season, and 48 for binders.

AWEY MORRISON, M. P., for Westminster, B. C. arrived in Dawson on Nov. 11th. He will come out on the ice in time to attend parliament. The Klondike Sun says he has visited the crooks, and taken notes so that he can urge intelligently a change in the mining laws of the Territory.

THE special general meeting of the members of the board of trade, arranged at their last meeting on 22nd Dec. last, was called by notice in Monday's issue of the Bulletin at 10 a. m. Tuesday. After waiting an hour, the members, MacKenzie and Cowie the only members who put in an appearance adjourned for want of a quorum.

McDUGALL & SECORD are shipping an outfit of supplies to Lesser Slave lake today by August Morison's team for a party of Klondikers who are wintering at Spirit River, south of Peace River. Morrison came down from Slave lake in December for the freight. The rate is 4c a pound to Lesser Slave lake.

C. W. SUTTER, Dominion immigration agent at Edmonton, reports 2,031 new settlers coming into the Edmonton district last year, but says that this does not represent fairly all the actual immigration as a great many settlers came direct to friends already resident here, and the department had no knowledge of them. Fuller particulars of Mr. Sutter's report next issue.

THE Reverend Father Girard, Armenian, priest, of the Roman Catholic Greek-Catholic rite, arrived by train yesterday evening. He was the guest of the Rev. Father H. Leduc, O. M. L., last night, and went this morning to St. Albert where he will be the guest of Bishop Grandin for several days. The intention of this Rev. Armenian priest is to examine the country and report on the advantages of Alberta for a colony of Armenians or Syrians.

GRAIN deliveries were fairly brisk on Tuesday and Wednesday owing to the arrival of sleighing. Wheat stands at 50c for the best, down to 35c for No. 3.

Oats are up a little. Quotations 18c to 20c for good feed up to 15c to 17c. Eggs becoming plentiful and down to 20c. Poultry scarce on account of export. Price 8c for chicken, 12c for turkeys. Live hogs 4c, dressed 5c.

THE HOSPITAL.
The annual meeting of the ladies hospital aid was held on Tuesday last 10th inst. A large number of ladies were present. Mrs. John Kelly was elected president, and there were re-elected Mrs. Lauder vice president; Mrs. Beck, secretary; Mrs. Larue, treasurer. The following are the members of the board of management: Mrs. Kin-naird, Mrs. P. L. McNamara, Mrs. Roy, Mrs. Graydon, Mrs. McCormack. A vote of thanks was given the retiring president, Mrs. Braithwaite.

With their best wishes to all for a happy and prosperous year, the sisters give their most grateful thanks to the following persons who kindly remembered the hospital at Xmas and New Years: The Bulletin for frequent and free advertising; Mrs. Beck, Mrs. S. Bolduc, from Stony Plain; Mr. Chenier, Mrs. Gallagher, Mrs. Gariepy, Mrs. J. Kelly, Mrs. Lauder, Messrs. Larue & Picard, The Plaindealer, N. Leclerc, Mrs. Fred Mitchell, McDonald, Messrs. Ross Bros., Mrs. Roy, Messrs. Stovel & Strang, Mrs. Whiteley.

During November and December 70 patients were treated of which 34 were Catholic and 36 Protestants.

Attending physicians were Drs. Braithwaite, Harrison and McInnis.

Yesterday afternoon, about five o'clock, the sisters, while on a visit, lost their horse and cutter, and have no trace of them yet.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.
William Bell, brother of R. A. Bell, of the Fort Saskatchewan Milling Co., was killed in the mill at Fort Saskatchewan yesterday morning. The pulley that runs the pump is attached to the main shaft, and is connected close to the main driving wheel. Bell and Mortimer were shortening the rope of the pulley, while the mill was running. Bell's glove caught in the pulley and he stepped back to clear himself, but was caught by the main driving wheel and thrown across the engine room. The accident occurred about 5 a. m. and death occurred about three hours afterwards. He was unconscious from the time of the accident until his death. The funeral takes place on Saturday. R. A. Bell, brother of the deceased, is in the east, but is expected back on Friday's train.

Competition for patroness' prize:
Goodwin, 10 Lauder, 9
Raymer, 9 Chalmers, 8
Goodwin, 13 Picard, 8

Points competition on Tuesday:
Gold button, McCauley, 34.
Silver button, Dr. Goodwin, 31.
Bronze button, R. McIntyre, 29.

The club bonspiel will begin on Jan. 18th. Invitations have been issued to Calgary, Innisfail, Red Deer and Fort Saskatchewan.

The committee of management have adopted the rule "No pay no play." The club now has 28 members in good standing.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NO RENT.
Wm. Easton's well appointed seven-roomed dwelling house on Rice Street. Apply to 21-54 W. L. SHORT, Advocate.

EXTRACT.
Came to my premises two mares, one bay, weight about 900 pounds, branded brands on right thigh, the other blue, weight 1200 pounds, branded 0 on left thigh. Owner is required to prove property, pay charges and take away. 21-52 H. LEHMANN, Stony Plain.

\$5.00 REWARD
For the recovery of a certain black cow, three years old, heavy in calf, white star on forehead, tip of tail white, white strip emerging into brown running along back, small straight horns, sends have been seen off, no brand. 21-54 W. H. COOPER, Edmonton.

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Property for Sale
In front of Land Office. Apply to V. RIVARD or H. L. GARIEPY, Edmonton. 21-59

Piano Tuning.
The undersigned having located permanently in Edmonton is prepared to receive and carefully adjust all orders for Piano Tuning. Orders left at Queen's hotel will receive prompt attention. 21-53 OTTO MORIN.

Edmonton Board of Trade.
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WHEAT.

The division between the farmers and buyers at Edmonton as to the value of different grades of wheat is as wide as ever. The battle rages chiefly around Ladoga, of which a great deal is produced in this district. The buyers grade the best of this as No. 3 hard or 1 northern and value it at 13c a bushel less than No. 1 hard. Geo. Imerson, of Stony Plain, informs the BULLETIN that a number of samples of wheat have been sent by different farmers on Stony Plain to Fort William to be graded; and that in one case which he knows of Ladoga was graded as No. 1 hard, and in a majority of other cases as No. 2 hard. It averaged quite as high in grade as the red fife. Apparently the wheat was graded as to quality and appearance with very little if any regard to variety.

In support of the above Mr. Imerson says that on December 16th he shipped a car of Ladoga wheat to Thompson Sons & Co., grain and commission merchants, Winnipeg. On the day upon which he loaded the car he was offered 33c by one of the buyers on No. 3 basis. This was the best offer he could get. He shipped 300 sacks of wheat as a car load. The return which he received on arrival of the car at Fort William was 67c bushels of No. 2 wheat, worth to him on Jan. 2nd, 44c at Edmonton; 11c a bushel over the price offered him in Edmonton, or \$77.97 on the car load. In order that there may be no mistake about the facts the letter received by Mr. Imerson is published below in full:

DEAR SIR: Your favor of the 16th ult., was duly received and noted. The mails to your place lose a lot of time in getting back and forward, hence the delay in your receiving our answer. We received the bill of lading for your car 26294 from the Imperial bank, Edmonton, and about three days ago we received from Fort William the inspection and return. It inspects 2 hard, and weighs out 678.40 bushels. We have not sold yet for the markets have been strong and advancing, the last two weeks nearly, and it looks not unlike as we may have further advance. At the price we can get for wheat to-day 1 hard is worth 48c on the cars Edmonton and 2 hard 44c. It costs as nearly as may be 1c per bushel per month to keep wheat at Fort William, half a cent per bushel storage and half a cent per bushel for insurance and interest. With no money borrowed on it of course there is no interest; and storage and insurance will cost say 5c per month per bushel. We will be pleased to here from you again. In the meantime we will hold your wheat insured and we will not sell unless we have reason to think the market is going to fall away again. It rather looks, however, as if we are going to have higher prices; and we think other parties in your neighborhood who can ship by the carload should do so. It will make them money. Do you want any money advanced on your wheat. We make advances on it at 6 per cent interest.

Your faithfully,
Thompson Sons & Co.

The car shipped by Mr. Imerson, above mentioned, was shipped to Thompson Sons & Co., Ft. William, but was billed to Thompson Sons & Co., Winnipeg. It was delivered, graded and stored at Fort William, but the sales are made from Winnipeg.

Eight or ten cars of grain have been shipped by Stony Plain farmers direct to Fort William this season.

It will be noticed that had Mr. Imerson's wheat been graded No. 2 at Edmonton and the price offered been a fair proportion of the price of No. 1 there would have been little or no profit to him in shipping.

THE GRAIN QUESTION.

Agricola, Jan. 5, 1899.

EDITOR BULLETIN.

DEAR SIR: Permit me through your columns to discuss the question of the proposed farmers' mills and elevators, in the hope that the grain producers of Alberta may see the necessity of hearty co-operation with a view to not only obtaining value for their grain, but also to raise the standard of our produce to the highest possible grade of excellence.

Like many other farmers I have made mistakes for which I have had to pay handsomely; for instance threshing out of the stock and in consequence having wheat too damp to command a good price, and omitting to carefully bluestone seed, thereby raising smutty wheat. Such has been the experience of many farmers, and as a result some millers, whose interest it served to depreciate the quality of the Edmonton wheat, have spread the untruthful statement that we could not raise a No. 1 quality of wheat here, because much of the wheat on the market in the past was

harvested and threshed without due regard to the necessity of obtaining a No. 1 sample by careful management.

While in the immigration department I always carried samples of our wheat, and have had opportunities of obtaining the opinions thereon of many practical grain dealers in Detroit, Minneapolis and Tacoma, as well as other great wheat centres, all of whom agreed that no better wheat than ours was on the market; but the necessity still exists and will intensify as time goes on for careful up to date farming.

Recently when wheat was quoted at 74c per bushel in Ontario, flour was retailed at \$3.90 to \$4.25 per bbl, or in other words wheat was worth 30c bushel more there than here while flour retailed here at from 50c to 75c more than it cost the eastern consumer. Eastern millers have to pay \$1.10 more for wheat sufficient to make a barrel of flour than Edmonton millers do, yet they are able, after paying heavy municipal taxes and high prices for coal, to sell their flour from 50c to 75c cheaper than does the Edmonton miller.

Then wheat graded No. 2 here which I sent to Mr. Toole of the C. P. R. land department to be officially graded in Winnipeg, was pronounced No. 1, and extra heavy to the bushel.

These facts cannot be disproved, and they show most conclusively that we farmers have been the victims of grain dealers and millers to such an extent that we are forced to organize to protect ourselves in the future; nor should it be forgotten that previous injury has been done to the settlement of the country by forcing new settlers to pay high and unjust prices which the low values paid for wheat do not justify.

The farmer of Alberta needs to be a machinist, a chemist, a geologist, a botanist and an entomologist, every one of these sciences he contemplates, perhaps without knowing it, every day, and our department of agriculture is fully alive to the actual necessity of educating the Canadian agriculturist that he may maintain his position and advance the value of his products in the markets of the world. By hearty co-operation and organization we the hard-fisted sons of toil can exert a power which will make itself felt to the highest degree, not only by securing honest grading of wheat, &c., as well as fair values, but we can do much to promote the material progress and settlement of the country.

Last year I took to England samples of our grain, also of oatmeal, which were highly commended by competent judges. The oatmeal from the South Edmonton mills was considered remarkably good, in fact the best of many samples. We have the soil and climate to produce cereals second to none, and it rests with us as producers to establish a reputation for Edmonton food products which can be maintained, if we faithfully do our part in providing the proposed mills with a raw material which can be converted into manufactured articles of the highest grades of excellence.

The farmer's necessity to turn his products into the means to pay his debts at the earliest opportunity compels him to market his crop as soon as possible. We may rest assured that we shall have the hearty sympathy of the majority of the Edmonton business men in any efforts we make to secure for ourselves a fair and honest market.

Not wishing to make an attack on any business interest anonymously,

I beg to subscribe myself,
Yours obediently,
T. G. PEARCE.

PORT SASKATCHEWAN.

The Fort Saskatchewan liberal association held their annual meeting Tuesday, Jan. 3rd, at 7 p. m. Considering the weather there was a fair turnout. The work of the association for the past year was reviewed by the president and after the usual business the following officers were elected for 1899: P. Aylen, M. D., president; re-elected; Geo. Dean, 1st vice-president; John McLennan, 2nd vice-president; G. T. Montgomery, secretary-treasurer; R. Houston, J. Fluker, J. W. Shera, John H. Kennedy, H. Smalley, R. Hare, Alex. Shackleton. After the election of officers the meeting adjourned to meet as usual.

BEAVER LAKE EAST.

No snake-fed pork is produced here. The farmers in this settlement produce nothing but the prime article. People who hanker after the other truck must go further east.

John D. McAllister keeps groceries on hand now for the convenience of the public.

There is some talk of an ordinary grist mill being erected at the lake, also a saw mill. These would be useful, particularly the latter, but a good roller flour mill would pay better than the former, and would no doubt be bonused to a considerable amount by the settlers. Parties having the necessary capital would do well to come out and investigate the matter. The public school will re-open on January 9th, to be kept open for six months now, and for two months at the end of the year.

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LACOMBE

Our annual town meeting was held on the 30th of the election of officers. The retiring officer was succeeded by Mr. Burdick, who was elected by acclamation. As is quite well known Mr. Burdick is the editor of the Lacombe Advertiser and also the proprietor of the furniture store which has just recently been established.

Mr. Drader arrived from Ontario on Dec. 30th with his family. Mr. Drader, as has been reported, purchased a section of C.P.R. land and intends going into ranching. He brought with him 50 head of cattle and will for the present reside on Mr. Cairns place.

Mrs. Pickering and her sister arrived from Macleod and will live with their brother, R. Ennis. J. Tice is spending the holidays with his son in North Dakota.

Mr. Taylor, of the hardware firm, is at present in Winnipeg, and from reports it is expected that he will bring back a partner with him to share his joys and sorrows.

Mr. Thompson expects to take trip to Japan in the near future. Mr. Egge-ton, our new teacher, is in search of a house, but on account of so many moving into town they are all taken up at present.

A ball was given on the 3rd January in the new hall by the co-operative society, limited, in aid of the Calgary general hospital. Music was supplied by the talented Filleg Bros., and the evening, although cold, was in every way quite desirable for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith are selling their homestead near Edmonton and will take their residence in Lacombe. Mrs. Smith went up on the 6th to help remove their household effects.

Mrs. Ledgerwood, an old and respected resident of Ponoka, died on Jan. 5th, at the age of 65. She was a native of the County of Down, Ireland, and for many years resided in Manitoba. About five years ago the family came to Alberta where they are now very comfortably situated.

Mrs. Ledgerwood has been for many years a consistent member of the Methodist church. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Gorman.

The final decision for a new school house or an addition to the old one will be reached on the 14th.

Messrs. Daykin and Tolman were nominated as representatives of both parties.

Jan. 9, '98.

PORT SASKATCHEWAN.

There was an alarm of fire here on Friday forenoon which caused a little excitement for a short time. The cause of the fire, such as it was, was the ignition of some dust and rubbish which had been brushed into the heating flues of Mr. L. More's furnace.

Mr. Campbell, the telegraph operator here, whose office is in the same building, and is heated by the same furnace, noticed smoke coming out of the grating in his office and immediately wired the alarm of fire to the barracks, and then took a pail of water and emptied it down the heating pipe. That was the end of the fire, but we think that the police deserve great credit for the prompt way in which they turned out as soon as the bugle started to rattle away at the fire alarm.

In the space of two or three minutes a number of men were over in Mr. More's store with the fire quenching apparatus, and the engine was turned out and would have been over in a few more minutes had it not been found that further steps were unnecessary. "The moral to my song and it won't detain you long," is, keep your heating pipes clean and insure in the Hartford.

The annual meeting of the school trustees of this district was held in the school house on Saturday afternoon, and was of a very peaceable nature. The several reports called for were read and a caretaker appointed. L. Adamson was re-elected trustee for the three ensuing years. The affairs of the district are now in a satisfactory condition and we start the year with a balance on our books.

We fear that the Forester's court here is not going to be a howling success. The moodiness of brotherly love to make it a success seems to be wanting.

At the annual meeting of the rate-payers of the school district it was agreed that in future tenders for the supply of coal, wood, etc., and caretaking of the school will be let at the annual meeting by the trustees. It is hoped that in this way we will get a better turn out at next meeting. It is amusing to note how quiet the rate-payers keep when there is nothing to buck about, but let the unfortunate trustees chance to make a slip and then look out for stump speeches.

There will be another meeting of all those interested in the flour mill scheme here next Saturday. It looks like a go.

Citizens dance at the Mansion House this week and police dance on the 24th.

Jan. 9.

L. A.

ANGUS RIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. Thirkent entertained some of their friends at a Xmas dinner on Monday. A very pleasant time was spent. Mr. and Mrs. Angus, Sr., intend leaving for eastern Ontario some time in March if all arrangements are completed.

The annual school meeting will be held Jan. 7th. Mr. Will Waterston is auditor for this year.

Messrs. Hunter were in Edmonton last week. There is a good deal of talk about erecting a grist mill on the south side of the river. It would be in the centre of a good grain-growing

district. We trust to see a village here in a few years. The site is an admirable one. Our Sabbath school will remain open during the winter.

Attempts are being made to organize a new school district north of this district. We have a cold snap here at present. The glass at Mr. R. Wyld's registered 40 degrees below zero last Saturday.

The government grant for the Wetaskiwin agricultural society arrived from Regina last week. The idea of holding large fairs at central places does not meet with favor among the people here. We trust Mr. Rosenroll, our M. L. A. for the district of Wetaskiwin, will hold some meetings before he leaves for his political duties in Regina.

The admission of the Northwest Territories to the division forming one or more provinces is of paramount importance to the people. Speak your minds before it is too late. Leave us as we are at present.

The Sabbath school are taking 25 copies of the Northern Messenger as literature for 1899.

We manage to begin work at nine o'clock for this winter in the public school.

EGG LAKE.

The Fraser Bros. of this place are bringing up their drill from their former home in Washington Territory and purpose drilling wells around the district.

The parties who are soliciting shareholders for the grist mill to be established at Morinville are meeting with fairly good success in their laudable efforts. It will be a great help to the farmers, and all should give the project their hearty support.

The proposed capital is \$7,500, divided into 150 shares of \$50 each, and the mill will be operated as a farmers' mill.

John Laroade has entered for another quarter section of land adjoining his farm as a second homestead, the department having found he was entitled to another by reason of having made his first entry early in the 80's.

Xmas and New Years passed off very quietly here owing to the amount of sickness prevalent in the settlement.

Death has again visited our settlement and carried off one of our young men, the victim being Albert Logan, the second eldest son of Nat Logan. He was attacked by la grippe and also by inflammation of the lungs which ended in his death on the 28th of Dec. He was a young man of many good qualities and his untimely decease is universally regretted.

We extend to the bereaved relatives our sincere sympathy. The funeral took place on Friday, the 30th ult, to the Morinville cemetery, where the remains were interred after service in the church.

J. B. L'Hirondelle has returned with a quantity of fur from the Athabasca, where he has been trading. He reports business good and sold his fur to advantage in Edmonton.

The Egg lake school district have at last realized on their debentures, having sold them to the Merchants bank, Edmonton, on favorable terms.

Several parties are cutting timber in the woods north of here, and expect the directors of the farmers saw mill to move their mill up there shortly.

The new postmaster, Mr. Gory, seems to be giving good satisfaction so far, although it is a pity that a more central location could not have been found for the office.

Jan. 9, '99.

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west Territories, thence via Athabasca Landing and
Lower Slave lake to Peace river; also to own, lease
and navigate the Athabasca river from Athabasca
Landing to the mouth of Little Slave river and up
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Ladies' Hem Stitched Linen Handkerchiefs, 5c. to 25c.

Ladies' Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs, 25c., 30c., 35c.

Ladies' Purse, 60c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$2.25.

Ladies' Silk Mitts, \$1.50, \$1.75.

Ladies' Kid Mitts, 45c., 75c., \$1.00.

Ladies' Kid Gloves (special line), \$1.00.

Ladies' Belts, 30c., 50c., 75c.

Ladies' Belts (latest crush), 60c., 90c.

New Ostrih-Bans (beauties), \$1.50, \$2.75.

New Silkette Blouses, Puff Ties to Match, \$2.25.

Fancy Picture Frames, 15c., 20c., 25c., 30c., 35c., \$1.00, \$1.75.

Dolls (good), 75c., \$1.00, \$1.35.

Silk Drapes (fancy), 50c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.50.

Fancy Pillow covers. Latest American goods. Get a pair. Only 30c. each.

Gents' Fancy Neck Scarfs, 50c., 75c., \$1.50, \$2.00.

Gents' Fancy Neck Ties, 25c., 35c., 50c., 60c.

We have just received and opened out another large consignment of
Christie Brown's Biscuits and Robertson Bros.' Confectionery, Shelled Almonds,
Shelled Walnuts, Pecans, Filberts, Peanuts, Table and Cooking Figs, Table and
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We wish you one and all a Merry Christmas and a prosperous and Happy
New Year.

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Notice is hereby given that application will be
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the Parliament of Canada at its next session for
an act to authorize the Company to add to the
powers already conferred upon it to construct and
operate a line of railway from some point on the
line of railway which is already authorized to
construct to either Yellow Head Pass or the Peace
River Pass, and thence by some route as may be
deemed most practicable to a port in British Colum-
bia, or to connect with the line of railway which
the British Pacific Railway Company is authorized
to construct, with authority to construct and
operate a branch line to some point on the naviga-
ble waters of the Yukon river; also to change the
name of the said Company to that of the Edmon-
ton, Yukon & Pacific Railway Company, also to
declare legal and valid the organization of the said
Edmonton District Railway Company, and to
ratify and confirm the proceedings of the share-
holders and directors thereof, and for such other
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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Alberta—H. Hayes, town; F. Brouseau, A. Champagne, St. Albert; Major Griesbach, Fort Saskatchewan; J. B. Brook, F. C. Fahy, J. E. Riley, Winnipeg; A. W. R. Markley, Harry Markley, Calgary; J. S. Shum, Berlin; J. T. Hogan, Hamilton; Chas. Parsons, Montreal; Zoltan Von Rajko, Hungary; Thos. Bennett, South Edmonton; Bishop Young, Mrs. Young, Miss Young, Athabasca Landing; Chas. Gurney, London, Ont.

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DUTIES ON SETTLERS STOCK.

A settler taking up 160 acres of land in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories may bring in a number of the following stock, viz: If horses only are brought in (1 to each 10 acres) 16 allowed; if cattle only are brought in (1 to each 10 acres) 16; if sheep only are brought in (1 to each acre) 100; if swine only are brought in (1 to each acre) 100; if horses and cattle are brought in together, 16 if sheep and swine are brought in together, 100. If horses, cattle, sheep and swine are brought in together, the same proportions as above are to be observed.

MILL AT EDNA.

The mill excitement is as great at Edna as at other centres of population in the Edmonton district. Edna is at the Victoria trail crossing of the Beaver river, and is about 25 miles east of Fort Saskatchewan. There is a large settlement surrounding Edna and extending east and south for 20 miles or more. So far 1,800 bushels of wheat have been subscribed by surrounding farmers as a bonus, in return for special concessions as to grinding. A considerable amount of cash has also been subscribed. The mill will have a run of stone, with a capacity of 25 barrels a day. It will have a saw mill in connection. The engine and saw mill are already on the way. The parties who will put up the mill are P. Mohr & Co.

ST. ALBERT.

Edmonton, 11th Jan., '99.

TO THE EDMONTON BULLETIN.

The annual spiritual retreat for the reverend clergy of the Roman Catholic diocese of St. Albert opened on the 10th instant to terminate on the 17th. Those spiritual exercises are presided over by their Lordships, Right Rev. Bishop Grandin, titular of St. Albert, and his assistant bishop, Mgr. Legal. Between 30 and 40 priests, most of them Oblates of Mary Immaculate, and about 15 lay brothers, also Oblates of Mary, with three secular priests, are just now enjoying the hospitality of Bishop Grandin, and following the exercises of the retreat preached to them this year by the Rev. Father Lestance, O. M. I.

The members of the Roman Catholic clergy present at St. Albert for the retreat are:

1st. From the district of St. Albert: The Right Rev. Bishop Grandin, The Right Rev. Bishop Legal, Rev. Fathers Lestance, Merer, Temas, Vegreville, Dauphin, Cunningham, Simonin, O. M. I., and Rev. Messrs. Durin, Ethier, and Belleville, secular priests.

2nd. From the district of Edmonton: The Rev. Fathers Leduc, Lizie, Perreault, Simonin, Dubois, Lemarchand and Culier, O. M. I.

3rd. From the district of Calgary: The Rev. Fathers Blanchet, Vantigien, Nassau, Doucet, Danis, O. M. I., who arrived from the south by last train.

4th. From the district of Saddle Lake: The Rev. Father Grandin, The Right Rev. Comire, Bouleau, O. M. I., and a number of lay brothers, O. M. I., from all the Roman Catholic missions of the diocese.

The Rev. Father Kien, O. M. I., of the Blood reserve, was expected by train yesterday, having missed the train before on account of a very severe snow storm.

NORTHERN MAIL.

It has been decided to postpone the departure of the government mail for Chipewyan until Feb. 14th to allow parties at a distance a better opportunity of getting letters through by it. This mail will go to Chipewyan as a government mail. Beyond that point the H. B. Co. will take all letters for other parties that they can carry besides their own mail, but will not guarantee anything.

MANITOBA MARKETS, JAN. 6.

Deliveries small. Highest at McGregor, 55c. Lowest at Redhead 45c. Brandon 50c. Moosemin 53c. Indian Head 50c. Melita 50c. Glenora 54c. Gretna 54c. Emerson 52c. Neepawa 50c. Minnedosa 52c. Yorkton 44c.

Outside prices fell about 1c. Fort William, 67c. No. 1, 64c. for No. 1 Northern.

CHICAGO 704c.

MASONIC.

Installation of officers of North Star Chapter Royal Arch Masons, No. 118, G. E. C. was held in the Masonic hall, Edmonton, on Tuesday evening, Jan. 10th, '99, when the following officers were installed by V. E. Comp. A. W. R. Markley, Grand Sup.

D. C. Robertson, 1st Prin. T. F. English, 2nd Prin. Geo. T. Bragg, 3rd Prin.

J. A. McDonald, treasurer.

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A. H. Goodwin, J. S. S. J. Ostrander, M. of 3rd V.

F. A. Osborne, M. of 2nd V. T. Hourston, M. of 1st V.

Wm. McKay, Tyler.

MILL AT VERMILION.

Sheridan Lawrence has purchased from the Massey-Harris Co. a 17 horse power portable engine, a 46 inch circular saw with fittings, a Peerless separator, a binder, a disc harrow and 1,000 pounds of binding twine. The outfit is for Vermilion settlement on lower Peace River, 350 miles further north than Edmonton, or as much further north than Edmonton as Edmonton is north of the international boundary. Mr. Lawrence's father has been farming at Vermilion for a number of years. Two years ago he took out the machinery for a grist mill to be run by water power. But the water supply was inadequate and steam power is being taken in. Mr. Lawrence will take the freight by teams by way of Athabasca Landing up the Athabasca and Lesser Slave rivers on the ice and across the portage from Lesser Slave lake to Peace River Landing. From there it will be rafted down the Peace to Vermilion when spring opens. There is already a steam saw and grist mill at Vermilion, belonging to E. J. Lawrence, so that the agricultural possibilities of the district have gone beyond the experimental stage.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory Edmonton, for the dates given:

January.	Max.	Min.
Monday, 9,	0	-7
Tuesday, 10,	-1	-12
Wednesday, 11,	4	-13
Thursday, 12,	-4	-4

Barometer reduced to sea level 29.772.

MARRIAGES.

MACDONNELL—McENTIRE—At the residence of the bride's father, Secora, Pennsylvania, on Tuesday Jan. 3rd, 1899. W. Macdonnell of Wetaskiwin, Alberta, to Nannie, daughter of W. J. McEntire.

MANNON—ROGERS—On Tuesday evening the 10th inst., at the residence of Mr. G. J. Welbourn, Stony Plain, by the Rev. D. G. McQueen, assisted by the Rev. C. B. Freeman, Mr. Robert J. Mannon to Miss S. C. Rogers, both of Edmonton. The groom was supported by Mr. J. Hamilton McDonald of the "Plaindealer," and the bride by Miss K. G. H. Lindsay.

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And take notice that after the expiration of the time aforesaid, the said administrator will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the deceased, or any part thereof, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he has then notice.

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